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> IN REPLY REFER TO: 5360 IGMC 20 Jul 18

Lynda Kieman

Dear Kieman

This is an interim response to your correspondence of June 8, 2018 to the Secretary of Defense concerning the death your son.

The issue(s) addressed in your letter raised several questions requiring further review. This inquiry was forwarded to United States Bureau of Medicine and they are currently gathering information necessary to provide you a substance response to address your inquiry. You can expect a response by August 17, 2018.

If you should need immediately assistance regarding this matter, please contact Mrs. Cynthia Edwards, Director of Assistance and Investigation at Cynthia.edwards@usmc.mil or 703-604-4690.

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